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Vice President Speaks at Notable Masonic Function in Alexandria.

ALEXANDRIA, April 21.—One of the most notable of a long line of notable Masonic functions in Alexandria took place at the Young People's building last night, when the Scottish Rite Masons gave their annual Maundy Thursday banquet, in commemoration of the Passover.

The guest of honor was the Vice President of the United States, Thomas R. Marshall, who made the principal speech of the evening. The Vice President took for his subject, "Our Country," and spoke of the critical situation in which the United States was now placed. He declared that the United States would not be found wanting when the time came to preserve her national honor, and that she would never give up the ideals she has maintained on many battlefields. At the close of his speech and frequently during its course he was applauded heartily.

Congressman Charles C. Carlin, of this city, spoke on the subject, "Our President." He was followed by Robert S. Barnett, who eulogized the important officers of the Scottish Rite Masons for the Southern Jurisdiction of Virginia.

Speeches were made by Henry K. Field, deputy grand master of the lodge of Masons of Virginia; J. E. W. Timberman, of the grand chapter, and J. Johnston Green, of the grand commandery, and Chester A. Gwin.

A splendidly arranged musical program was rendered under the direction of Dr. Harry G. Harryman, and the others participating were Kenneth W. Ogden, Wilmer J. Waller, Mrs. Sherman B. Fowler, and Mrs. Harrie White.

Silent toasts to the memory of departed Masonic officers were rendered and the ceremony of extinguishing the Masonic lights was performed by the officers of the lodge under direction of H. Noel Garner, who also served in the capacity of toastmaster.

Two hundred members of the rite, their wives, and friends attended the banquet, which was served by the ladies of Martha Washington Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star.

The ninety-seventh anniversary of the founding of the Odd Fellowship order will be observed by the Odd Fellows of this city Easter Sunday at 7:45 p. m., when the Potomac and Scepta Lodges of Odd Fellows of this city and the Canton of Patriarchs Militant will attend special services at the First Baptist Church. The members of the two lodges will march to the church in a body, and the canton will be accompanied by their escort. The Rev. Eugene B. Jackson, pastor of the church, will deliver an appropriate sermon.

Good Friday services were held today at 11 a. m. at St. Paul's and Christ Episcopal churches. At Grace Episcopal Church services were held at 10:30 a. m., and at this church there will also be a vespers service from 12 until 2 p. m. The mass of the pre-arranged service was celebrated at St. Mary's Church at 3 this morning, by the Rev. L. F. Kelley, assistant pastor. In connection with the mass the annual procession of the Blessed Sacrament was held, in which more than sixty little girls, thirty acolytes, and the Rev. E. J. Miller, the Rev. Louis Smet, and the Rev. Joseph J. Kelley took part.

At St. Mary's Church stations of the cross will be held at 3 and at 8 p. m.

The ceremonial session of Aeca Temple, Mystic Shrine, which was to have been held in this city April 28, has been canceled. There will, however, be a ceremonial session of that organization at the Plains, Fauquier county, April 29. It is expected that a large delegation of Shriners from this city will attend the session.

Ethel D. Burke has sold to Fanny M. Burke a house and lot on the south side of Wilkes street, between Fairfax and Lee streets.

ROCKVILLE.

At the biennial town election to be held at Kensington on Monday, May 1, a mayor and two councilmen will be chosen to serve two years. Mayor Moore, it is believed, will be re-elected without opposition.

Howard H. England, twenty-three, and Miss America Virginia Burns, sixteen, both of Washington, were married in Rockville today by the Rev. John H. Schooley.

The Rev. Samuel R. White officiated at the marriage here last evening of Miss Emma E. Johnson and William V. Dove, both of Montrose.

James F. Braddock, a life-long resident of this county, died Wednesday in a Washington hospital of a complication of diseases. He was seventy-eight years old and had lived in this vicinity all his life. Surviving him are two sons—John Braddock, of Montana, and William Braddock, of Washington. The funeral took place at 11 o'clock this morning from Braddock's chapel, Rockville, burial being in Rockville Cemetery.

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UTAH'S BOARD DEFENDS DR. BEMIS

Declares Railway Company Never Before Attacked Fitness of Expert.

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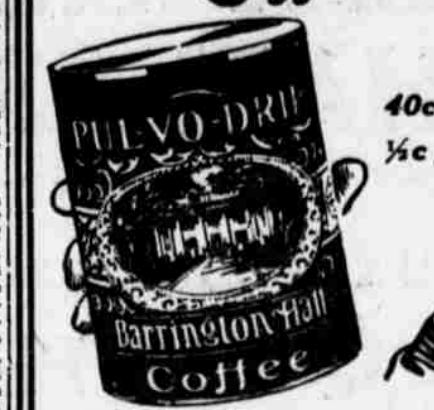
Some of His Experiences.

In 1906 Dr. Bemis published for the State of Illinois a study of Chicago gas and the street railway enterprises. From 1904 to 1906 he was employed as superintendent of the Cleveland water department under Mayor Tom L. Johnson, and represented the city in the valuations of the local utilities and in franchise matters. In 1910-11 he was employed by Des Moines in gas reduction cases and on valuations for purchase of waterworks. He was appointed head of the valuation bureau April 22, 1914.

Before selecting him, the commission, it was stated, made careful inquiry as to his qualifications, and considered him in every way fitted for the responsible duties assigned him.

The work of the valuation bureau began May 1, 1914. It was evidenced from

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Geo. E. Dwyer, 301 21st st.
Brooke & Harry, 719 20th st.
I. Goldberg, 1000 25th st.
S. Scheer, 913 E st.
J. Minovich, 725 7th st.
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J. E. Brashaw, Jr., 815-17 A st.
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L. Crow, 13th and F sts.
J. W. Weber, 402 H st.
J. M. Annandale, 1200 H st.
J. D. Mattingly, 114 Quincy st.
B. Wallis, 11th st. & Mass. ave.

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C. E. Burns, 5th and East Capitol sts.
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Keelaver & McMillan, Berwyn.

the start, officials of the company said today, that no co-operation was to be expected from the Washington Railway and Electric Company.

A statement before the House District Committee yesterday Engineer Commissioner Kutz, chairman of the commission, in directing attention to paragraph 3 of the public utilities law which provides that charges made by public utilities shall be "reasonable, just, and non-discriminatory," said:

"The present management of the Washington Railway and Electric Company and the Potomac Electric Power Company has been fit to use every means in its power within the law not only to prevent the commission from obtaining about this condition, but also to keep the commission in ignorance of existing facts, and such success as it has had in thus far accomplishing these things has been largely due to the close relations now existing between these two companies. The commission has, therefore, been forced to conclude that the close relationship between the Washington Railway and Electric Company and the Potomac Electric Power Company is not for the benefit of the public."

In reference to Mr. Ham's statement concerning the traction company's dissatisfaction with Dr. Bemis and its general attitude toward the valuation bureau, the commission today directed attention to a letter sent the company in May, 1915, asking if an assistant of Dr. Bemis employed in valuation work would be acceptable to the company. The purpose of the letter, it was stated, was to secure, if possible, a greater amount of co-operation in the work of valuation.

The company's reply was that "we cannot see wherein this company is called up to express approval or disapproval of the employment of any proposed employee of your honorable commission."

The valuations of the properties of the Washington Railway and Electric Company have been practically completed.

Detectives Seize Plotters' Baggage

BUFFALO, N. Y., April 21.—Furnished with numbers of baggage checks, Buffalo detectives have seized baggage here belonging to Harry L. Newton, charged with planning to blow up the Brooks locomotive plant at Dunkirk, N. Y.

A suitcase containing a loaded twenty-pound shell with percussion caps and fuse, a mechanic's wrench, a small vise and a "plumb bob" were secured. A small grip and steamer trunk, checked with the suitcase, also were seized.

Detectives opened the innocent looking suitcase at the railroad station and took the shell from its polished steel case. The three parcels were taken to police headquarters, where they will be held until further advice is received from the New York authorities.

HYATTSVILLE.

Elaborate Easter services have been planned for the Hyattsville Memorial Methodist Episcopal Church under the auspices of the Sunday school. The exercises will begin at 10 o'clock, and will open with a song by the school, "Christ Victorious."

The feature of the program will be several exercises by the primary department under the direction of Miss Lois Burton. The exercises will be participated in by Thelma Anglin, Francis Hoopes, Mary Jones, Margaret Rose, Marguerite Garibaldi, Lillian Dove, Catherine Dove, Louise Robertson, Pauline Reilly, F. J. Robertson, prayer by the Rev. Joseph R. Wood; Burnett Jones; Frank Hawkins; Miss Bessie Anderson; Miss Nettie Hawkins; Miss Louise Rose; Miss Louise Charlton; Miss Marian Tucker; Carville Bowen; Morris Anglin; Mrs. W. E. Hutchinson; Miss Bertha Hoopes; Miss Lola Burton; the Rev. M. F. Lowe, and Charles W. Ingalls.

Today, Good Friday, is a legal holiday in Maryland, and all banks, schools, and the various county offices are closed. The public schools of the county closed at noon yesterday for the Easter vacation.

ANACOSTIA.

Special services are being held today in all the local churches.

A large corps of baseball enthusiasts will begin work on Monday placing the baseball diamond in Anacostia and the one at Congress Heights in condition for the games of the Potomac League this season.

Halem Lodge, No. 22, I. O. O. F., met last night in Masonic Hall, when degree work was on the calendar as the principal feature. J. K. Davison is captain of this team. Plans for the future were outlined. L. D. Donaldson is noble grand.

The Randle Highlands Citizens' Association will meet on Monday night in the office of the United States Realty Company, in Pennsylvania avenue.

Must Steal to Pay Aged Mother's Keep

LATHAM, April 21.—Arraigned in court for failure to contribute 10 cents a week for the support of her eighty-year-old mother, Mrs. Trina Laverick, of Passaic, N. J., told Judge Klenert that she would have to steal the money if forced to pay.

"My husband married me and not my mother," Mrs. Laverick told the court. "If I've got to pay the money I'll have to steal it, so I'll be back before you on a charge of larceny."

"I'll give you until the beginning of next week to start paying the money," said Judge Klenert sternly. "You clear up the whole case when you say your husband did not marry your mother."

Mrs. Laverick said her husband was on strike, but she admitted that her two sons were working.

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Boys' Junior Norfolk Suits and Reefers to match—black and white shepherd checks; emblem embroidered on sleeve—black trimming—sizes 3 to 8 years. Both Suit and Reefer. SPECIAL.....

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